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Title:	METHOD OF CONTROLLING STRESS IN GALLIUM NITRIDE FILMS DEPOSITED ON SUBSTRATES		

REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.26

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This document is being submitted to request a refund in the above-referenced application for an overpayment in the amount of \$755.00.

On December 15, 2009, an Issue Fee payment was paid in the amount \$1,510.00 as a large entity in accordance with the Notice of Allowance cover sheet Form PTOL-85 received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (a copy of which is enclosed). However, the above-referenced application is a Small Entity as indicated on its Filing Receipt (a copy of which is enclosed). Consequently, the Issue Fee payment should have been paid as a small entity in the amount \$755.00, and a refund is requested for the overpayment of \$755.00.

Accordingly, Applicants' attorney requests that the \$755.00 overpayment made in the above-referenced application be refunded to Deposit Account No. 50-0494 of Gates & Cooper LLP.

Respectfully submitted,

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